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KILLING OF RUSSIAN CONSUL COMPLICATES SITUATION

Will Encourage Bulgarians to Support Revolutionary Movement

(By Associated Press.)

Belgrade, Serbia, Aug. 10.—According to the latest reports received here of the murder of the Russian consul at Monastir, Rostkovski abused a Turkish gendarme who was doing sentry duty, for not saluting him and called him a "pig of a Turk." Then he struck the sentry with his whip. The gendarme thereupon fired upon the consul. It is stated that Rostkovski was hated by the Turks on account of his intense arrogance.

Constantinople, Aug. 10.—The murder of the Russian consul, Rostkovski, has caused intense excitement here and is the sole topic of conversation in streets, cafes, and public resorts. The general belief is that the incident is bound to considerably aggravate the already serious situation in Macedonia and it is felt that it will undoubtedly encourage the Bulgarians to support the insurrectionary movement, which is spreading rapidly, notably to the southward of Monastir.

According to mail advices from Monastir, dated August 5, the insurgents who recently occupied the little town of Krushevo, 23 miles north of Monastir, numbered 950. They killed the garrison, consisting of fifty-two soldiers, dynamited and burned the government buildings and then hoisted on a hill over the town a red flag bearing on one side a lion with the inscription, "Death of Liberty," and on the other the words, "Courage Brethren." The rebels were still in possession of the town when the letters were sent off. Practically the whole country north of Monastir is in revolt.

Moss Fighting Reported.

Salonica, Aug. 10.—Further fighting occurred yesterday near Sorovitch, the Turkish troops coming into collision at the village of Kallar with a large insurgent band.

Many Killed and Injured By Falling of Grand Stand

(By Associated Press.)

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 10.—Four persons are dead, at least 12 are thought to be fatally injured and fully 150 others are hurt, some seriously, as the result of the accident which occurred Saturday afternoon at the Philadelphia National base ball park. A board walk which overhung the left field bleachers fell to the street, carrying 200 spectators.

The identified dead are:
Edward Graham.
Alfred Rodgers.
Edward Williamson, aged 60 years.
The following are thought to be fatally injured:

Thomas Kane, 34 years, fractured skull, internal injuries.
Douglass McCauley, fractured skull, internal injuries.
John Murphy, eight years, fractured skull.
Peter Barrett, fractured skull.
Joseph McCarrigle, 12 years, both ankles broken.
Joseph McConaghy, fractured skull.
W. Snyder, 28 years, both legs broken, spinal injuries.
Joseph Larkin, 10 years, internal injuries.
A. D. Robinson, 81 years, concussion of the brain.
Lewia McGreth, 30 years, fractured skull, arm and leg.
John Radcliffe, 14 years, fractured skull.
Nicholas Moser, 51 years, internal injuries.

Nearly one hundred persons received fractures of legs, laceration of head, broken noses, contusions of the head and body but their condition is not serious.

Two games were scheduled between Boston and Philadelphia Saturday afternoon and the attraction drew over 10,000 persons to the ball park. The

accident occurred at 5:40 o'clock while the Boston team was at bat in its half of the fourth inning, of the second game, and was directly due to a quarrel between two drunken men in the street.

The National League stands are built of steel and brick, the brick walls extending entirely around the grounds. At the top of the left field seats and extending from the grand stand to the end of the bleachers there was a walk about three feet wide which overhung the street. It was this walk that gave way under the heavy weight.

Men who were standing on the walk were attracted by a disturbance in the street. They leaned over the railing to see what was the trouble and drew the attention of other spectators seated on the top row of the bleachers. Then occurred what is seen almost every day at a ball game—a rush to see what the other spectators were looking at.

The walk became overcrowded, and without a moment's notice fell to the sidewalk, twenty feet below, carrying all who were on it. There were probably 3,000 persons sitting on the left field bleachers, and the roar made by the falling timbers created a panic.

Instantly the spectators rose on masse and made a rush down the stand and into the playing field. It was a great black wave of humanity. Men and boys climbed over one another in an effort to escape the grounds. Notwithstanding what had occurred, the ball players and others tried to stop the mad rush, but they were swept aside in their unsuccessful efforts and several persons were badly hurt in the crush.

Outside the grounds the scene was one of horror. For an entire block on Fifteenth street, from Huntington street to Lehigh avenue, men and boys were lying, writhing in agony. Some were buried under the wreckage, others were lying in the gutters and dozens were stretched out in Fifteenth street on the car tracks. Some were unconscious, others were rolling over suffering great pain and others attempted to get up and walk only to fall again.

It is estimated that fully an hundred persons who were injured went direct to their homes.

An examination of the walk after the accident showed many of the wooden supports, which extended three feet beyond the walk, to be rotten. They were about 2½ inches thick and about six inches wide. They broke off flush with the wall.

Washington Big Guns Welcome Union Printers

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 10.—The 49th session of the International Typographical union began here today, with a large majority of the 315 delegates present. Chairman Whitehead, of the committee on arrangements, presided, while by his side sat Secretary Cortelyou, of the department of commerce and labor, Public Printer Palmer and a number of other prominent men. Commissioner McFarland and Willis Moore, chief of weather bureau, who was at one time a printer, welcomed the delegates. Moore congratulated the union upon its strength, upon the progress made and influence exerted. He spoke also of the president of the United States as a friend of labor and congratulated the convention upon that fact.

DYNAMITERS AT WORK.

(By Associated Press.)

Vienna, Aug. 10.—According to a dispatch from Salonica, insurgents last evening blew up with dynamite the custom house at Zibevche, on the Servian frontier. There were no fatalities.

Very French Still More

Madame Humbert Makes a Grand Stand Play While on Trial Negroes Charged With Crime Violently Ushered Into Eternity

(By Associated Press.)

Paris, Aug. 10.—The Humbert trial today drew another large crowd. Mme. Therese Humbert continued to dominate the proceedings and created several scenes when the court attempted to examine members of the family. Bonnet, the presiding judge, insisted on examining Frederick Humbert, her husband, but Mme. Therese rising, said:

"I demand to be heard. I am strong today and will explain, where the millions are."

The judge, however, proceeded with the examination of the other defendants despite Mme. Humbert's constant interruptions. During Judge Bonnet's searching interrogation of her husband, Mme. Therese dramatically exclaimed:

"Monsieur, the president: You are clearly showing by your manner that you are against us. You should disguise your feelings and try to appear impartial."

Will be Brought Here For Identification

A telephone message received at the United States marshal's office at 2 o'clock Sunday morning conveyed the news of a fight with three outlaws, eight miles from Pawhuska, Saturday evening. Deputy Marshal Haines was fatally wounded, but a telegram this morning stated that the wounded officer was improving and thought to be out of danger. Two of the outlaws were killed and the third member of the gang escaped.

Deputy Marshal Bennett was also engaged in the fight with the desperadoes.

News of the battle is meagre, yet enough has been learned to indicate that the conflict was an exciting one.

The desperadoes are thought to be the same men who held up and robbed the Hennessey Rock Island depot several months ago and which also a few weeks ago shot and killed Marshal Cross at Geary. They have been chased by the best officers in Oklahoma since the murder and are thought to have reached Pawhuska where the officers there were notified and the battle followed.

Marshal Bennett telephoned that he believed the men were also the same parties who held up and robbed a number of people near Bartlesville several weeks ago, the first account of which was reported in the Leader. Several horses which were stolen at that time were recovered Saturday.

In the battle one of the outlaws was killed and one was shot and captured. The third member of the gang escaped. The desperado who was captured died this morning.

The bodies of the dead outlaws will be brought to the city tomorrow morning for identification as it is not positively known to the officers who they are. Several Geary citizens are in the city today awaiting the arrival of the remains and will attempt to identify the bodies tomorrow.

Chief Deputy Marshal Willets left this afternoon for Ralston and tomorrow, with Deputy Marshal Bennett, will bring the remains to the city.

Absent Minded Woman Forgot a Valuable Bustle

(By Associated Press.)

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 10.—Word was received by the union depot officials that a missing bustle, in which \$7,300 had been sewed by Mrs. Lucy Van Cerke, of Shawnee, Kansas, and which she supposed she had dropped from the train while enroute to St. Paul, had been found. Mrs. Van Cerke in her hurry of eluding Shawnee had forgotten the valuable article and returned home just in time to save it from being burned as rubbish by the new tenants of her house.

(By Associated Press.)

Hattiesburg, Miss., Aug. 10.—A negro, Amos Jones, was hanged by a mob here Saturday night for shooting and mortally wounding Jailer H. M. Sexton. Jones and another negro, named McElroy, who were prisoners, seized Sexton, intending to break from the jail. McElroy threw Sexton down, and two white youths, also prisoners, held him. The negroes disarmed Sexton and ones shot him, inflicting three wounds that are said to be fatal.

A crowd gathered outside the jail, while a deputy and several others entered and overpowered three of the prisoners. In the confusion McElroy escaped from the jail. The crowd outside decided to lynch Jones. Prominent men urged them to desist and the wounded jailer sent word to leave the man unharmed. The mob later seized Sheriff Batson and tied him.

The fire brigade was requested to turn out and help disperse the mob but refused. The mob then broke into a window of the jail and cut the negro out of his cell with chisels. He was brought out to the crowd of about 500 men and boys, a rope was tied around his neck and he was dragged through the town to Gordon creek bridge, where he was hanged to a telegraph pole and bullets were fired into his body. It is thought he was dead before he was hanged.

The sheriff had telegraphed to the governor when the mob first assembled and an order came to the local militia to turn out, but it was too late. While the mob was forming and threatening to lynch the white prisoners also, the sheriff spirited them out of town.

At Valparaiso, Ind.

Valparaiso, Ind., Aug. 10.—John Wilson, a powerful negro, attempted to assault Mrs. Hugh F. Blits at her home four miles in the country. She was in the house with her two little children when the negro appeared at the door and asked for matches. When he attacked her the children screamed and the negro ran.

Over a hundred neighboring farmers and farmers hands started in pursuit. The negro jumped a passing freight train and escaped to Warsaw. The telephones had been used and deputy Sheriff Matthews and William Williams, a school teacher were at the depot.

The negro drew a knife and attacked Matthews but was knocked unconscious by a stone thrown by Wilson. He confessed. The streets of the town have been filled with angry farmers of Washington township muttering their threats of vengeance but no attack on the jail is feared.

Two Negroes Get 99 Years.

Henderson, Tex., Aug. 8.—Isam Strong, the negro surrendered by a mob which had taken him from the jail for the purpose of lynching him, was sentenced to 99 years in prison.

Shortly after the conviction of Strong a negro named Amual Thompson was brought in from Mount Enterprise, where it is alleged he had attempted to assault a Miss Sparks. He was hurriedly tried, and was also given 99 years.

ALLEGED HORSE THIEF HELD.

Texas Bad Man Was Captured Near Lawton Recently.

Lawton, Okla., Aug. 10.—After a chase, in which strong resistance was offered to the officers, a man known under the names of Davis, Campbell and Cameron has been arrested here with horses and a mule in his possession which it is believed were stolen. It is to be taken to Wichita Falls, Tex., where it is alleged he stole the animals, some of them having been identified by men from that place. It is believed he is wanted in other counties for crimes and is being held pending the arrival of officers from the surrounding country.

NORTH TOPEKA AGAIN SURROUNDED BY WATER

Inhabitants Fear a Repetition of the Disastrous June Flood

Servian Cut Throat Gang Sent Into Coventry

(By Associated Press.)

Vienna, Aug. 10.—In consequence of the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga and the subsequent attitude of Servian military officers, both Russia and Austria have decided to send home all Servian officers studying in their military schools. Russia has forbidden her officers to have either official or social intercourse with Servian officers.

William Brummitt Died Suddenly of Dropsy

William Brummitt, aged 57, who has been a resident of Guthrie and Logan county several years, dropped dead in his room at the Excelsior hotel at 9:30 o'clock last evening. Dropsy was the immediate cause of his death.

Mr. Brummitt has been living in the vicinity of Meridian during the past few months. He formerly was engaged in the real estate business here, having an office in the building occupied by the Guthrie Savings bank.

While a resident of Meridian Mr. Brummitt suffered much from dropsy. Several weeks ago one of his neighbors wrote to Brummitt's brother in apprising him of the condition of his Oklahoma brother, and he, together with another brother, arrived only yesterday.

They went to the home of Mr. Brummitt near Meridian but when he learned that his brothers had arrived to care for him, and if possible take him back to Missouri, he became angered and refused to go. He came to Guthrie yesterday afternoon and was seen on the street by a number of his acquaintances. Last evening he spent some time conversing with a friend and at 9:30 started to retire. His friend accompanied him to the room and as he neared it Brummitt uttered a groan and fell back into the arms of the friend. A physician was called but life was extinct.

The body will be taken back to Hickory Creek, Mo. by the two brothers tomorrow morning.

High School Injunction Argued Before Burford

Before Judge Burford, in chambers, this afternoon, was presented the petition for an injunction to restrain the trustees of the county high school from causing to be erected the county high school building. The petition was presented by Attorney Strang, Cotteral & Horner and County Attorney McGuire and was resisted by Attorneys Dale & Bierer.

COTTON MILL AT CARTHAGE.

Citizens Subscribe \$100,000 Towards McDonald's Enterprise.

Carthage, Mo., Aug. 10.—Carthage people have subscribed \$100,000 cash to the capital stock of the Carthage Cotton Mills company, being organized at this place by Witten McDonald. This insures the erection of the plant. The mills will have a capacity of 10,000 spindles and 240 looms, and will manufacture fabrics suited to the general needs of the southwestern markets.

A GHASTLY FIND.

(By Associated Press.)

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 10.—The dismembered and headless trunk of a human body was found floating in the Mississippi river at the dam near St. Paul.

The Citizens State bank of Bremen notified the secretary today of an increase of capital stock from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

(By Associated Press.)

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 10.—The Kansas river here is higher than at any time since the June flood, marking eight feet above the low water mark. It is still rising at the rate of half an inch an hour, but unless the heavy rains of the past week west of here continue, no serious damage is feared. However, alarm is felt at North Topeka. Soldier creek, which flows through the north side of the city, is rising rapidly, and North Topeka is now surrounded by water.

Oklahoma Gets Permit to Build

Special to Daily Leader.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 10.—The eleventh permit for the construction of a state building at the World's Fair was Saturday issued to Otto A. Sultow, treasurer of the Oklahoma commission. The erection of the pavilion will probably be begun this week by the Hill Construction company of this city, and must be completed by December 1, 1903. The contract price is \$15,000.

The pavilion is to be two stories and will occupy an area of 72x71 feet. Parlor and a reception hall will be on the first floor. Porches will surround the front of the building on both floors. The supporting columns on the lower floor are to be Corinthian, while on the upper floor a Moorish effect will be obtained by broken filigree arches.

WESTERN MINERS.

Take Drastic Measures to Enforce Payment of Union Scale.

(By Associated Press.)

Cripple Creek, Colo., Aug. 10.—A committee of the Western Federation of Miners made a tour of the district this morning, calling out miners at properties which are shipping ore to mills operated by the United States Reduction and Refining company which has refused to pay the union scale. Stratton's Independence mine was one of the first mines closed.

DAKOTA DIVORCE.

Plays a Part in Noted English Divorce Suit.

(By Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 10.—A divorce today was granted D. S. Constantindil from his wife, a daughter of Stephen Hall, member of the firm of Hall Brothers, on the ground that Mrs. Constantindil's conduct led to the misconduct of her husband. The suit raised the question of the legality of Dakota divorces in England. The husband charged his wife with bigamously marrying Dr. Lanco, family physician.

DOUBLE KILLING.

Husband Killed Wife, Then Shot Him self to Death.

(By Associated Press.)

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 10.—Kent Stowe, son of F. D. Stowe, general manager of the Merchants Dispatch and Transportation Co., shot his wife today, killing her instantly and then shot himself, dying later. It is believed he was temporarily deranged from illness.

The anniversary of the opening of Caddo county was celebrated at Hinton, Friday. Governor Ferguson and D. T. Morgan were the principal speakers. "The crowd which attended the celebration was one of the most enthusiastic I have ever addressed in Oklahoma," said Governor Ferguson today. "Hinton is a splendid town and is fast becoming known as one of the best in western Oklahoma."